## Climate Change and Human Health Literature Portal



# The cost of change on the land

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#### Abstract:

With so much public comment on the effects of the current drought gripping much of Australia, and its impact on the social fabric of our community, we must apply a touch of reality to the debate.

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# **Resource Description**

#### Exposure: M

weather or climate related pathway by which climate change affects health

**Extreme Weather Event** 

**Extreme Weather Event:** Drought

Geographic Feature: M

resource focuses on specific type of geography

Rural

Geographic Location:

resource focuses on specific location

Non-United States

Non-United States: Australasia

Health Impact: **№** 

specification of health effect or disease related to climate change exposure

Mental Health/Stress

Mental Health Effect/Stress: Mood Disorder

Intervention: M

strategy to prepare for or reduce the impact of climate change on health

A focus of content

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### Medical Community Engagement: ■

resource focus on how the medical community discusses or acts to address health impacts of climate change

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Mitigation/Adaptation: **☑** 

mitigation or adaptation strategy is a focus of resource

Adaptation

Population of Concern: A focus of content

Population of Concern: M

populations at particular risk or vulnerability to climate change impacts

Elderly, Workers

Other Vulnerable Population: farmers

Resource Type: M

format or standard characteristic of resource

Policy/Opinion

Timescale: **☑** 

time period studied

Time Scale Unspecified